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- 1) Amendment After Final filed on August 13, 2003;
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- 3) Pctition for Extension of Time filed on August 13, 2003.

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Name of Applicant: Akihiko EBINA et al.

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

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Sir:

In reply to the April 15, 2003 Office Action, the period for reply being extended by
the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Specification;

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.